

[Self Instructional Authoring Software Tool for the Creation of a Multi-media Resume]

Abstract of Disclosure

This invention is a self-training, interactive, multi-media authoring tool that uses computerized methods and systems to produce multi-media resumes which can be outputted in any combination and at the user's discretion can be E-mailed, posted to a website, printed or written onto external media such as a disk or CD. The invention uses a graphical user interface and creates interactive dialogue between the user and the software. It uses the user's own selected media; specific types supported are defined by the user. Media assets can be selected from a file or captured in real-time during resume creation and written to a file. Resume elements written to files are tagged with identifiers. By using a keyword search feature, the user's family of resumes and/or a data bank of resumes can be searched against job criteria. All relevant resumes can then be compiled onto a single submission. A processor plays back the resume and facilitates editing. The system then automatically generates the web code needed for the production of the composited resume(s) and thusly it integrates all assets to produce an interactive multi-media resume. The user can select various format styles of output and preview assets. This invention creates billing information and is user friendly for a system administrator to create, inactivate, back up files, password protect. The software can be run from a web-connected server or from the Internet host server.



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